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WILLIAM J. FAENZA, JR., ET AL. ) Examiner: Lisa M. Caputo  
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For: A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR )  
MANUFACTURING A PUNCH- )  
OUT RFID TRANSACTION )  
DEVICE : February 14, 2006

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. These references were previously submitted in Information Disclosure Statements (IDSs) filed on March 19, 2004 and May 2, 2005, but were not considered by the Examiner for the reasons explained in the Official Action dated December 14, 2005. Copies of the listed documents are enclosed herewith. Additionally, English abstracts, translations, or corresponding U.S. patents for references in languages other than English are also provided.

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Applicants bring to the Examiner's attention U.S. patents which are the counterparts of the following foreign references: U.S. Patent No. 6,138,913 is the counterpart of JP 2001504406; U.S. Patent No. 5,304,789 is the counterpart of EP 0481388; U.S. Patent No. 5,234,624 is the counterpart of EP 0473998; and U.S. Patent No. 4,795,894 is the counterpart of JP 62-264999. Copies of the U.S. Patents are not enclosed as they are available electronically.

In addition, Applicants bring to the Examiner's attention errors found in the references listed in the previous IDS. WO 03/007623 was incorrectly listed in the previous IDS as WO 02/21903; JP 64-4934 was incorrectly listed as JP 1-49345; JP 63-071794 was incorrectly listed as JP 36-3071794; JP 09-052240 was incorrectly listed as JP 5224000; and "Binder," Wordnet 1.6, was incorrectly listed as "Binder," Worldnet 1.6.

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It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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